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For: SYSTEM AND METHOD TO
SEARCH A DATABASE FOR
RECORDS MATCHING USER-
SELECTED SEARCH CRITERIA AND
TO MAINTAIN PERSISTENCY OF THE
MATCHED RECORDS

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RESPONSE AND AMENDMENT

Sir:

In response to the Office action of September 3, 2004, please reconsider the above-identified application in view of the following remarks:

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